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NOTICE OF APPEAL

FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

In the application of : Charles F. SPITZ

Serial No. : 09/767,398

For : METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR OBTAINING DIGITAL SIGNATURES

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The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1.  An extension of time to respond to the final rejection is being filed on October 6, 2004 for three months.
2.  A timely response to the final rejection has been filed, as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.
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